

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

MAURICE EDWARDS,

Plaintiff,

HONORABLE PAUL L. MALONEY

v.

Case No. 1:09-cv-1067

GRAND RAPIDS COMMUNITY  
COLLEGE,

Defendant.

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**ORDER REJECTING DOCUMENT**

This matter is before the Court on Defendant Grand Rapids Community College's Substitution of Counsel (Dkt. #12). The law firm of Smith Haughey Rice & Roegge seeks to substitute for Miller, Canfield, Paddock and Stone, P.C. as attorneys for defendant. This court's Local Civil Rule 83.3(d) states, in pertinent part, "Withdrawal of appearance may be accomplished only by leave of court." Accordingly,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Defendant Grand Rapids Community College's Substitution of Counsel (Dkt. #12) is **REJECTED**. Counsel may seek leave of the court to withdraw from the case.

Date: January 25, 2010

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/s/ Paul L. Maloney

Paul L. Maloney  
Chief United States District Judge